

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 24, 1990

FIFTY-SIXTH LEGISLATIVE DAY

The House met at 2:00 p.m. and was called to order by Mr. Speaker Murray.

The proceedings were opened with prayer by Dr. Robert H. Crumby, Donelson Presbyterian Church, Donelson, Tennessee.

Representative Ben West, Jr., led the House in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

ROLL CALL

The roll call was taken with the following results:

Present 93

Representatives present were: Anderson, Armstrong, Austin, Bell, Bittle, Bivens, Bragg, Buck, Burchfield, Burnett, Byrd, Cain, Callcott, Chiles, Clark, Coffey, Cole, Collier, Crain, Cross, Curlee, Davidson, Davis (Cooke), Davis (Gibson), Davis (Knox), DeBerry, Dixon, Duer, Gaia, Garrett, Givens, Good, Gunnels, Halteman, Harrell, Hassell, Hauff, Head, Henry (Putnam), Henry (Roane), Herron, Hobbs, Holcomb, Holt, Hubbard, Huskey, Jackson, Jones, R. (Shelby), Jones, U. (Shelby), Kent, Kernell, Kisber, Love, McAfee, McDaniel, Moody, Moore (Lawrence), Moore (Shelby), Naffeh, Napier, Niceley, Nuber, Odom, Peroutas, Phillips, Pinion, Pruitt, Purcell, Rhinehart, Ridgeway, Robinson (Davidson), Robinson (Hamilton), Robinson (Washington), Scruggs, Severance, Shirley, Sipes, Stallings, Stamps, Starnes, Turner (Hamilton), Turner, C. (Shelby), Turner, L. (Shelby), Ussery, West, Whitson, Williams, Winningham, Wix, Wolfe, Wood, Yelton, Mr. Speaker Murray -- 93.

EXCUSED

The Speaker announced that the following member(s) has/have been excused, pursuant to request(s) under Rule No. 20:

The Speaker announced that Representative Copeland was excused due to an out-of-town commitment.

The Speaker announced that Representative Webb was excused due to an out-of-town commitment.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

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MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, Senate Joint Resolution(s) No(s). 393, 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401.

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402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 412, 418, 419, 420, 424, 433 and 436; adopted for concurrence.

CLYDE W. McCULLOUGH, JR.,
Chief Clerk.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0393 -- Memorials, Condolence --
Honors memory of W. R. Rochelle.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0395 -- Memorials, Condolence --
Honors memory of Julian Ceasar Benson.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0396 -- Memorials, Public Service --
Honors Herman Morris, Jr.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0397 -- Memorials, Condolence --
Honors memory of Walter Henry Lucas.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0398 -- Memorials, Public Service --
Honors Kenneth O. Cole.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0399 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement --
Recognizes Dinah Shore for her many contributions to her country.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0400 -- Memorials, Public Service --
Recognizes James H. McKenzie of Tullahoma.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0401 -- Memorials, Personal Achievement --
Honors Mayor John P. Gaul, Outstanding Citizen of Franklin County for 1989.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0402 -- Memorials, Retirement --
Honors Ruth Porter Binkley on retirement from UTSI.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0403 -- Memorials, Sports --
Commends Rick Dempsey for achievements in professional baseball.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0404 -- Memorials, Congratulations --
Congratulates Carrier Corporation - McMinnville on twentieth anniversary of operation in state.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0405 -- Memorials, Recognition and Thanks --
Commends students and staff of Motlow State for aiding Tullahoma officials.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0406 -- Naming and Designating --
Designates second full week in September as "Clifford McClain Week" in Warren County.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0407 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement --
Congratulates Mary Purcell on election as president of International Federation of University Women.

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Senate Joint Resolution No. 0408 -- Memorials, Condolence -- Honors memory of John P. Graves.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0409 -- Memorials, Condolence -- Honors memory of Jim Kuykendall.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0412 -- Memorials, Personal Achievement -- Congratulates Elizabeth Edwards for winning the Miss T.E.E.N. Tennessee pageant.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0418 -- Memorials, Public Service -- Commends members of Nucleus Knoxville on community beautification.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0419 -- Memorials, Condolence -- Honors memory of Harold Earl Scruggs.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0420 -- Memorials, Public Service -- Honors Nancy-Ann E. Minn, former commissioner of human services.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0424 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement -- Commends Christopher Whittle for success in communications and growth of Whittle Communications.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0433 -- Memorials, Personal Occasion -- Honors Benjamin Hooks on sixty-fifth birthday.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0436 -- Memorials, Condolence -- Honors memory of Melvin Matunda, Jr.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

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MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, Senate Bill(s) No(s). 1585; passed by the Senate.

**CLYDE W. McCULLOUGH, JR.,
Chief Clerk.**

Senate Bill No. 1585 -- Statutes -- Codifies Public Acts of 1989.

ENROLLED BILLS

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MR. SPEAKER: Your Chief Engrossing Clerk begs leave to report that we have carefully compared House Bill(s) No(s). 1552; also, House Joint Resolution(s) No(s). 508, 509, 512, 513, 520, 524 and 545; and find same correctly enrolled and ready for the signatures of the Speakers.

**BETTY KAY FRANCIS,
Chief Engrossing Clerk.**

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SIGNED
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The Speaker announced that he had signed the following: House Bill(s) No(s). 1552; also, House Joint Resolution(s) No(s). 508, 509, 512, 513, 520, 524 and 545.

BETTY KAY FRANCIS,
Chief Engrossing Clerk.

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES

FINANCE, WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE

January 23, 1990

MR. SPEAKER: Your Finance, Ways and Means Committee begs leave to report that we have carefully considered and recommend for passage: House Bill(s) No(s). 1584 (with amendment), 1590 and 1594.

BRAGG, Chairman.

Under the rules, House Bill(s) No(s). 1584 (with amendment), 1590 and 1594 was/were transmitted to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

January 23, 1990

MR. SPEAKER: Your Judiciary Committee begs leave to report that we have carefully considered and recommend for passage: House Bill(s) No(s). 1555 (with amendment).

We further recommend that, pursuant to Rule No. 72, House Bill(s) No(s). 1593 be referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee.

BUCK, Chairman.

Under the rules, House Bill(s) No(s). 1555 (with amendment) was/were transmitted to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

Pursuant to Rule No. 72, the Speaker referred House Bill(s) No(s). 1593 to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee.

GENERAL WELFARE COMMITTEE

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MR. SPEAKER: Your General Welfare Committee begs leave to report that we have carefully considered and recommend for passage: House Bill(s) No(s). 1591 (with amendment).

STARNES, Chairman.

Under the rules, House Bill(s) No(s). 1591. (with amendment) was/were transmitted to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

CONSENT CALENDAR

House Joint Resolution No. 0534 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement -- Commends Tom C. Sharp, Jr. for his accomplishments in the business world.

House Joint Resolution No. 0539 -- Memorials, Condolence -- Honors memory of Roy H. Gayden, Jr.

House Bill No. 1642 -- Signal Mountain -- Revises charter. Amends Chapter 569, Private Acts of 1919, as amended.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0425 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement -- Honors Horace V. Wells, former editor and publisher of Clinton Courier News.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0427 -- Memorials, Condolence -- Honors memory of Bishop James Oglethorpe Patterson, Sr.

Pursuant to Rule No. 50, Rep. Phillips moved that all House Bills having companion Senate Bills and are on the Clerk's desk be conformed and substituted for the appropriate House Bill, that all Senate and House Bills on the Consent Calendar be passed on third and final consideration, all House Resolutions and House Joint Resolutions be adopted, and all Senate Joint Resolutions on the Consent Calendar be concurred in, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes.	96
Noes.	0

Representatives voting aye were: Anderson, Armstrong, Austin, Bell, Bittle, Bivens, Bragg, Buck, Burchfield, Burnett, Byrd, Cain, Callicott, Chiles, Clark, Coffey, Cole, Collier, Crain, Cross, Curlee, Davidson, Davis (Cocke), Davis (Gibson), Davis (Knox), DeBerry, DePriest, Dixon, Duer, Gaia, Garrett, Givens, Good, Gunnels, Halteman, Harrill, Hassell, Haun, Head, Henry (Putnam), Henry (Roane), Herron, Hillis, Hobbs, Holcomb, Holt, Hubbard, Huskey, Jackson, Jones, R. (Shelby), Jones, U. (Shelby), Kent, Kernell, King, Kisber, Love, McAfee, McDaniel, Moody, Moore (Lawrence), Moore (Shelby), Naifeh, Napier, Niceley, Nuber, Odom, Peroulas, Phillips, Pinion, Pruitt, Purcell, Rhinehart, Ridgeway, Robinson (Davidson), Robinson (Hamilton), Robinson (Washington), Scruggs, Severance, Shirley, Sipes, Stallings, Stamps, Turner (Hamilton), Turner, C. (Shelby), Turner, L. (Shelby), Ussery, West, Wheeler, Whitson, Williams, Winningham, Wix, Wolfe, Wood, Yelton, Mr. Speaker Murray -- 96.

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

SPONSORS ADDED

Without objection, the rules were suspended to allow the following members to add their names as sponsors as indicated below, the prime sponsor of each having agreed to such addition:

House Joint Resolution No. 539: Rep(s). Cain, Kent and Williams added as prime sponsor(s).

House Bill No. 713: Rep(s). Wix added as prime sponsor(s).

House Bill No. 1559: Rep(s). Curlee and Hubbard added as prime sponsor(s).

House Bill No. 1581: Rep(s). Rhinehart added as prime sponsor(s).

House Bill No. 1698: Rep(s). Bragg, Gunnels and Naifeh added as prime sponsor(s).

House Bill No. 1835: Rep(s). Napier added as prime sponsor(s).

BILLS WITHDRAWN

On motion of Rep. Bivens, House Bill No. 730 was recalled from the Labor and Consumer Affairs Committee.

On motion of Rep. Bivens, House Bill No. 730 was withdrawn from the House.

On motion of Rep. Napier, House Bill No. 1721, ready for second consideration, was withdrawn from the House.

RULES SUSPENDED

Rep. DeBerry moved that the rules be suspended for the purpose of introducing Senate Joint Resolution No. 433 out of order, which motion prevailed.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0433 -- Memorials, Personal Occasion -- Honors Benjamin Hooks on sixty-fifth birthday.

On motion, the rules were suspended for the immediate consideration of the resolution.

On motion of Rep. DeBerry, the resolution was concurred in by the following vote:

Ayes.	94
Noes.	0

Representatives voting aye were: Anderson, Armstrong, Austin, Bell, Bittle, Bivens, Bragg, Buck, Burchfield, Burnett, Byrd, Cain, Callicott, Clark, Coffey, Cole, Collier, Crain, Cross, Curlee, Davidson, Davis (Cocke), Davis (Gibson), Davis (Knox), DeBerry, DePriest, Dixon, Duer, Gaia, Garrett, Givens, Good, Gunnels, Halteman, Harrill, Hassell, Haun, Head, Henry (Putnam), Henry (Roane), Herron, Hillis, Hobbs, Holcomb, Holt, Hubbard, Huskey, Jackson, Jones, R. (Shelby), Jones, U. (Shelby), Kent, Kernell, King, Kisber, Love, McAfee, McDaniel, Moore (Lawrence), Moore (Shelby), Naifeh, Napier, Niceley, Nuber, Odom, Peroulas, Phillips, Pinion, Pruitt, Purcell, Rhinehart, Ridgeway, Robinson (Davidson), Robinson (Hamilton), Robinson (Washington), Scruggs, Severance, Shirley, Sipes, Stallings, Stamps, Turner (Hamilton), Turner, C. (Shelby), Turner, L. (Shelby), Ussery, West, Wheeler, Whitson, Williams, Winningham, Wix, Wolfe, Wood, Yelton, Mr. Speaker Murray -- 94.

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

RULES SUSPENDED

Rep. DeBerry moved that the rules be suspended for the purpose of introducing Senate Joint Resolution No. 436 out of order, which motion prevailed.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0436 -- Memorials, Condolence -- Honors memory of Melvin Malunda, Jr.

On motion, the rules were suspended for the immediate consideration of the resolution.

On motion of Rep. DeBerry, the resolution was concurred in by the following vote:

Ayes.	93
Noes.	0

Representatives voting aye were: Anderson, Armstrong, Austin, Bell, Bittle, Bivens, Bragg, Buck, Burchfield, Burnett, Byrd, Cain, Callicott, Clark, Coffey, Cole, Collier, Crain, Cross, Curlee, Davidson, Davis (Cocke), Davis (Gibson), Davis (Knox), DeBerry, DePriest, Dixon, Duer, Gaia, Garrett, Givens, Good, Gunnels, Halteman, Harrill, Hassell, Haun, Head, Henry (Putnam), Henry (Roane), Herron, Hillis, Hobbs, Holcomb, Holt, Hubbard, Huskey, Jackson, Jones, R. (Shelby), Jones, U. (Shelby), Kent, Kernell, King, Kisber, Love, McAfee, McDaniel, Moore (Lawrence), Moore (Shelby), Naifeh, Napier, Niceley, Nuber, Odom, Peroulas, Phillips, Pinion, Pruitt, Purcell, Rhinehart, Ridgeway, Robinson (Hamilton), Robinson (Washington), Scruggs, Severance, Shirley, Sipes, Stallings, Stamps, Turner (Hamilton), Turner, C. (Shelby), Turner,

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L. (Shelby), Ussery, West, Wheeler, Whitson, Williams, Winningham, Wix, Wolfe, Wood, Yelton, Mr. Speaker Murray -- 93.

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

MOTION

Pursuant to Rule No. 53, I wish to file notice that on Thursday, January 25, 1990, I will move to recall House Resolution No. 93 from the State and Local Government Committee.

Rep. Harold Love.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

House Joint Resolution No. 0540 -- General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment -- Confirms appointment of Jamey Coleman Williams to Tennessee Registry of Election Finance. by *Love, *Naifeh.

The Speaker referred House Joint Resolution No. 540 to the State and Local Government Committee.

House Joint Resolution No. 0542 -- General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment -- Confirms appointment of Carole S. Bucy to Tennessee Registry of Election Finance. by *West, *Naifeh, *Odom.

The Speaker referred House Joint Resolution No. 542 to the State and Local Government Committee.

House Joint Resolution No. 0543 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement -- Honors Dr. Jim McCluskey on the occasion of his thirtieth anniversary as pastor of Wallace Memorial Baptist Church. by *Severance.

The Speaker referred House Joint Resolution No. 543 to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

House Joint Resolution No. 0544 -- General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment -- Confirms appointment of Howard E. Bond to Tennessee Registry of Election Finance. by *Kisber, *Naifeh.

The Speaker referred House Joint Resolution No. 544 to the State and Local Government Committee.

House Joint Resolution No. 0546 -- Memorials, Retirement -- Commends Chief Boyd Carson for service to city of LaFollette. by *Wheeler, *Cross.

The Speaker referred House Joint Resolution No. 546 to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

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House Joint Resolution No. 0547 -- Memorials, Retirement -- Honors Reverend Fate Dibrell Wilson on retirement. by *Hillis, *DePriest, *Henry Dwight, *McDaniel, *Sipes, *Naifeh, *West, *Bivens, *Starnes, *Buck, *Ridgeway, *Cross, *Murray, *Pinion, *Curlee.

The Speaker referred House Joint Resolution No. 547 to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

House Joint Resolution No. 0548 -- Memorials, Sports -- Honors Hollow Rock-Bruceton Central High School football team, TSSAA Class A state champions. by *Ridgeway.

The Speaker referred House Joint Resolution No. 548 to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

House Joint Resolution No. 0549 -- General Assembly, Statement of Intent or Position -- Requests Confederate Air Force to relocate to Smyrna Airport. by *Hobbs, *Bragg.

The Speaker referred House Joint Resolution No. 549 to the State and Local Government Committee.

BILLS WITHDRAWN

On motion of Rep. Love, House Joint Resolution No. 540 was recalled from the State and Local Government Committee.

On motion of Rep. Love, House Joint Resolution No. 540 was withdrawn from the House.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTIONS (Congratulatory and Memorializing)

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0393 -- Memorials, Condolence -- Honors memory of W. R. Rochelle.

The Speaker referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 393 to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0395 -- Memorials, Condolence -- Honors memory of Julian Ceasar Benson.

The Speaker referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 395 to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0396 -- Memorials, Public Service -- Honors Herman Morris, Jr.

The Speaker referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 396 to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

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Senate Joint Resolution No. 0397 -- Memorials, Condolence -- Honors memory of Walter Henry Lucas.

The Speaker referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 397 to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0398 -- Memorials, Public Service -- Honors Kenneth O. Cole.

The Speaker referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 398 to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0399 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement -- Recognizes Dinah Shore for her many contributions to her country.

The Speaker referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 399 to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0400 -- Memorials, Public Service -- Recognizes James H. McKenzie of Tullahoma.

The Speaker referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 400 to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0401 -- Memorials, Personal Achievement -- Honors Mayor John P. Gaul, Outstanding Citizen of Franklin County for 1989.

The Speaker referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 401 to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0402 -- Memorials, Retirement -- Honors Ruth Porter Binkley on retirement from UTSI.

The Speaker referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 402 to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0403 -- Memorials, Sports -- Commends Rick Dempsey for achievements in professional baseball.

The Speaker referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 403 to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0404 -- Memorials, Congratulations -- Congratulates Carrier Corporation - McMinnville on twentieth anniversary of operation in state.

The Speaker referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 404 to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0405 -- Memorials, Recognition and Thanks -- Commends students and staff of Motlow State for aiding Tullahoma officials.

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The Speaker referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 405 to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0406 -- Naming and Designating -- Designates second full week in September as "Clifford McClain Week" in Warren County.

The Speaker referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 406 to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0407 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement -- Congratulates Mary Purcell on election as president of International Federation of University Women.

The Speaker referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 407 to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0408 -- Memorials, Condolence -- Honors memory of John P. Graves.

The Speaker referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 408 to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0409 -- Memorials, Condolence -- Honors memory of Jim Kuykendall.

The Speaker referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 409 to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0412 -- Memorials, Personal Achievement -- Congratulates Elizabeth Edwards for winning the Miss T.E.E.N. Tennessee pageant.

The Speaker referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 412 to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0418 -- Memorials, Public Service -- Commends members of Nucleus Knoxville on community beautification.

The Speaker referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 418 to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0419 -- Memorials, Condolence -- Honors memory of Harold Earl Scruggs.

The Speaker referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 419 to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0420 -- Memorials, Public Service -- Honors Nancy-Ann E. Minn, former commissioner of human services.

The Speaker referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 420 to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

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Senate Joint Resolution No. 0424 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement -- Commends Christopher Whittle for success in communications and growth of Whittle Communication.

The Speaker referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 424 to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

*House Bill No. 1883 -- Alcoholic Beverages -- Removes certain restrictions from definition of "urban park center". Amends TCA 57-4-102. by *Jones R.

Passed first consideration.

House Bill No. 1884 -- Tennessee Foundation Program -- Adjusts class sizes in certain grades. Amends TCA, Title 49, Ch. 3. by *Davidson.

Passed first consideration.

House Bill No. 1885 -- Robertson County -- Enacts hotel-motel tax. by *Davidson.

Passed first consideration.

House Bill No. 1886 -- Dentists -- Develops licensure for dental hygienists. Amends TCA, Title 63, Ch. 5. by *Davidson.

Passed first consideration.

House Bill No. 1887 -- District Attorneys -- Increases base salaries of district attorneys general. Amends TCA, Title 8, Ch. 7. by *Rhinehart.

Passed first consideration.

House Bill No. 1888 -- Gatlinburg -- Changes manner of election of certain city officials. Amends Chapter 84, Private Acts of 1945, as amended. by *Huskey, *Davis R E.

Passed first consideration.

House Bill No. 1889 -- Adoption -- Creates a waiver of interest in terminating rights of the father in certain adoption proceedings. Amends TCA, Title 36, Ch. 1, Pt. 1. by *Halteman, *Stamps.

Passed first consideration.

House Bill No. 1890 -- County Government -- Allows removal of debris from vacant property in certain counties. Amends TCA 5-1-115. by *Callicott, *Hobbs.

Passed first consideration.

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House Bill No. 1891 -- Maryville -- Deletes requirement in charter that utility rates be established by ordinance. Amends Chapter 27, Private Acts of 1967. by *Anderson, *Huskey.

Passed first consideration.

House Bill No. 1892 -- County Officers -- Abolishes office of constable in Giles County. Amends TCA 8-10-101. by *DePriest.

Passed first consideration.

House Bill No. 1893 -- Highways, Roads and Bridges -- Authorizes counties to work on roads within cities and share costs without reimbursement. Amends TCA 54-7-202. by *Kisber, *West, *Hubbard.

Passed first consideration.

House Bill No. 1894 -- Election Laws -- Authorizes national committee of political party to contribute to state political party executive committee. Amends TCA 2-19-132, 133. by *Byrd, *Kisber, *Naifeh, *DeBerry.

Passed first consideration.

House Bill No. 1895 -- Motor Vehicles, Titling and Registration -- Requires filing of notice of transfer upon transfer of motor vehicle title. Amends TCA, Title 55, Ch. 3, Pt. 1. by *Buck.

Passed first consideration.

House Bill No. 1896 -- Liens -- Revises certain provisions of the lien laws for improvements to real property; excludes certain residential property. Amends TCA, Title 66, Ch. 11. by *Kisber.

Passed first consideration.

House Bill No. 1897 -- Taxes, Sales -- Exempts certain servicemen from sales tax under certain situations. Amends TCA 67-6-303. by *Byrd, *Turner G.

Passed first consideration.

House Bill No. 1898 -- County Government -- Creates new county; defines boundaries; provides for transition. by *Moore U A, *Byrd.

Passed first consideration.

House Bill No. 1899 -- Public Defenders -- Clarifies district public defenders duties; requires additional qualifications. Amends TCA, Title 8, Ch. 14, 16-21-107. by *Purcell.

Passed first consideration.

House Bill No. 1900 -- Medicine, Practice of -- Prohibits unlicensed laboratories from performing certain examinations on

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specimen's taken from human body. Amends TCA, Title 68, Ch. 29. by *McAfee.

Passed first consideration.

House Bill No. 1901 -- Veterans -- Extends veterans' benefits to certain persons. Amends TCA 58-3-101. by *Purcell, *Hillis, *Bell, *Moore C, *Good, *Moody, *Moore U A, *Clark.

Passed first consideration.

House Bill No. 1902 -- Game and Fish Laws -- Authorizes designation of one day each year when sport fishing license requirements are suspended. Amends TCA, Title 70. by *Hillis, *Cross, *DePriest, *Kernell, *McDaniel, *Sipes, *Wolfe, *Moody, *Stallings.

Passed first consideration.

House Bill No. 1903 -- Game and Fish Laws -- Requires commercial fisherman to supply own identifying tags; establishes criteria for such tags. Amends TCA 70-4-119. by *Hillis, *Cross, *DePriest, *Kernell, *McDaniel, *Sipes, *Wolfe, *Moody, *Henry Dwight, *Stallings, *Naifeh.

Passed first consideration.

*House Bill No. 1904 -- Election Laws -- Clarifies use of punch card ballots in certain counties. Amends TCA 2-5-206. by *Hillis.

Passed first consideration.

House Bill No. 1905 -- Arrests -- Requires law enforcement agency to determine if there has been disposition of charges prior to release of a person's arrest record. by *Kernell.

Passed first consideration.

House Bill No. 1906 -- Fund Raising -- Requires in kind contributions to be listed separately on disclosure statement. Amends TCA, Title 2. by *Williams K.

Passed first consideration.

House Bill No. 1907 -- Cosmetology -- Deletes manicurists, pedicurists and aestheticians from authority of cosmetology board. Amends TCA, Title 62, Ch. 4, Pt. 1. by *Armstrong.

Passed first consideration.

House Bill No. 1908 -- Holidays -- Authorizes county election commissions to be closed on state holidays. Amends TCA, Title 2, Ch. 12. by *Armstrong.

Passed first consideration.

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House Bill No. 1909 -- Holidays -- Authorizes county offices to be closed on state holidays. Amends TCA, Title 5, Ch. 1, Pt. 1. by *Armstrong.

Passed first consideration.

House Bill No. 1910 -- Solid Waste Disposal -- Requires TDOT demolition debris be disposed of in state approved landfills. Amends TCA, Title 54, Ch. 5. by *Armstrong.

Passed first consideration.

House Bill No. 1911 -- Taxes, Sales -- Provides that rate of tax on certain materials used by contractors be based on purchase price rather than fair market value. Amends TCA 67-6-209. by *Armstrong.

Passed first consideration.

House Bill No. 1912 -- Highways, Roads and Bridges -- Removes requirement of county legislative body approval of appointed road superintendent 1990 salary increases. Amends TCA 54-7-106. by *Rhinehart.

Passed first consideration.

House Bill No. 1913 -- Highways, Roads and Bridges -- Allow private donation to aid work on county roads. Amends TCA, Title 54, Ch. 7. by *Napier, *Buck, *DePriest.

Passed first consideration.

House Bill No. 1914 -- Environmental Preservation -- Restricts releasing of balloons into atmosphere. by *Armstrong.

Passed first consideration.

House Bill No. 1915 -- Criminal Procedure -- Permits drug prosecutions by Tennessee of persons tried in foreign state or under federal law. Amends TCA 53-11-413. Repeals TCA 53-11-404. by *Scruggs.

Passed first consideration.

House Bill No. 1916 -- Workers' Compensation -- Clarifies scope of Workers' Compensation Law. Amends TCA 50-6-110. by *Ridgeway, *Stallings, Anderson, Webb, Robinson Robb, DePriest, Ussery, Turner L.

Passed first consideration.

House Bill No. 1917 -- Motor Vehicles -- Exempts certain vehicles from being weighed. Amends TCA 47-26-803. by *Ridgeway.

Passed first consideration.

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House Bill No. 1918 -- Taxes, Sales -- Exempts railroad car liners from sales tax. Amends TCA 67-6-329. by *Ridgeway.

Passed first consideration.

House Bill No. 1919 -- Hearing and Hearing Aids -- Encourages Tennessee schools to offer courses in American sign language. Amends TCA 4-1-405; Title 49, Ch. 6, Pt. 10. by *Scruggs.

Passed first consideration.

House Bill No. 1920 -- Motor Vehicles -- Authorizes dark tinted windows on motor vehicles under certain circumstances. Amends TCA 55-9-107. by *Scruggs.

Passed first consideration.

House Bill No. 1921 -- Insurance, Motor Vehicles -- Permits person involved in vehicle accident to obtain auto liability insurance information. Amends TCA 55-10-108. by *Scruggs.

Passed first consideration.

House Bill No. 1922 -- Highways, Roads and Bridges -- Exempts state authorized development on scenic highways from building restrictions. Amends TCA 54-17-115. by *Scruggs.

Passed first consideration.

House Bill No. 1923 -- Sequatchie County -- Authorizes salary increase for juvenile court judge in Sequatchie County. Amends Chapter 297, Private Acts of 1982. by *Rhinehart.

Passed first consideration.

House Bill No. 1924 -- Courts, General Sessions -- Confers upon general sessions courts of certain counties same contempt power as courts of record. Amends TCA 16-15-713. by *Phillips.

Passed first consideration.

House Bill No. 1925 -- Workers' Compensation -- Makes workers' compensation award subject to assignment for child support. Amends TCA 50-6-223. by *Williams K.

Passed first consideration.

House Bill No. 1926 -- Workers' Compensation -- Defines "accident" as sudden, unexpected event which produces at time objective symptoms of injury. Amends TCA 55-6-102. by *Rhinehart.

Passed first consideration.

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House Bill No. 1927 -- Auctions and Auctioneers -- Permits certain automobile auctions to sell auto to individuals. Amends TCA, Title 55, Ch. 17. by *Clark.

Passed first consideration.

House Bill No. 1928 -- Bad Checks -- Requires notice of bad check to drawer be sent by certified rather than registered mail. Amends TCA 39-14-121. by *Clark.

Passed first consideration.

House Bill No. 1929 -- Handicapped Persons -- Exempts blind vendors from food service permit fee. Amends TCA 68-14-313. by *Clark.

Passed first consideration.

House Bill No. 1930 -- Handicapped Persons -- Enacts "Orientation and Mobility Specialist Practice Act of 1990". Amends TCA, Title 4, Ch. 29, Pt. 2; Title 63. by *Clark.

Passed first consideration.

House Bill No. 1931 -- Pensions and Retirement Benefits -- Allows certain employees of Tennessee national guard creditable service in TCRS. Amends TCA, Title 8, Ch. 34, Pt. 6. by *Clark.

Passed first consideration.

House Bill No. 1932 -- Accountants -- Exempts public accountants who are sole practitioners from annual fee for office registration. Amends TCA 62-1-113. by *Clark.

Passed first consideration.

House Bill No. 1933 -- Auctions and Auctioneers -- Expands definition of goods sold by auctioneer to include certain tangible personal property. Amends TCA 62-19-101. by *Clark.

Passed first consideration.

***House Bill No. 1934 -- Mobile Homes and Manufactured Buildings --** Deletes requirement that owner of land for which mobile homes are attached be responsible for payment of property taxes imposed upon such mobile homes. Amends TCA 67-5-802. by *Hobbs.

Passed first consideration.

House Bill No. 1935 -- Motor Vehicles -- Defines "new car" under consumer protection law. Amends TCA, Title 47, Ch. 18. by *Wheeler.

Passed first consideration.

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House Bill No. 1936 -- Taxes, Sales -- Provides that certain accessories for motor vehicles be considered single article. Amends TCA, Title 67, Ch. 6. by *Rhinehart, *Wheeler, *Huskey, *Kent, *Kisber, *Cross, *Burnett, *DeBerry.

Passed first consideration.

House Bill No. 1937 -- Roane County -- Prohibits construction or operation of commercial medical waste incinerator. by *Henry Jim.

Passed first consideration.

SENATE BILLS ON FIRST CONSIDERATION

Senate Bill No. 1585 -- Statutes -- Codifies Public Acts of 1989.

Held on the Clerk's desk pending third consideration of companion House Bill No. 1562.

HOUSE BILLS ON SECOND CONSIDERATION

***House Bill No. 1701** -- Public Printing -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.

***House Bill No. 1702** -- Historical Sites -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee.

House Bill No. 1703 -- Judges and Chancellors -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

House Bill No. 1704 -- Advertising -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Transportation Committee.

House Bill No. 1705 -- Advertising -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Transportation Committee.

House Bill No. 1706 -- Advertising -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Transportation Committee.

House Bill No. 1707 -- Advertising -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Transportation Committee.

***House Bill No. 1708** -- Evidence -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

House Bill No. 1709 -- Public Defenders -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

***House Bill No. 1710** -- Public Defenders -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

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***House Bill No. 1711 -- Purchasing -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Judiciary Committee.**

***House Bill No. 1712 -- Workers' Compensation -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Labor and Consumer Affairs Committee.**

***House Bill No. 1713 -- Adoption -- Passed second consideration and referred to the General Welfare Committee.**

***House Bill No. 1714 -- Telecommunications -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.**

***House Bill No. 1715 -- Codes -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.**

House Bill No. 1716 -- Municipal Government -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.

***House Bill No. 1717 -- Limitation of Actions -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Judiciary Committee.**

***House Bill No. 1718 -- Liens -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Commerce Committee.**

***House Bill No. 1719 -- Correctional Programs -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.**

***House Bill No. 1720 -- Alcoholic Offenses -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Transportation Committee.**

House Bill No. 1722 -- Pensions and Retirement Benefits -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee.

***House Bill No. 1723 -- Estates -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Judiciary Committee.**

***House Bill No. 1724 -- Insurance, Motor Vehicles -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Commerce Committee.**

***House Bill No. 1725 -- Juvenile Offenders -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Judiciary Committee.**

***House Bill No. 1726 -- Insurance, Motor Vehicles -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Commerce Committee.**

***House Bill No. 1727 -- Statutes -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Judiciary Committee.**

House Bill No. 1728 -- Accountants -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Commerce Committee.

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***House Bill No. 1729 -- Tort Liability -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Judiciary Committee.**

***House Bill No. 1730 -- Water Pollution -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Conservation and Environment Committee.**

***House Bill No. 1731 -- State Officials -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.**

***House Bill No. 1732 -- Water Resources -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Conservation and Environment Committee.**

House Bill No. 1733 -- Driver Licenses -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Transportation Committee.

***House Bill No. 1734 -- Highways, Roads and Bridges -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Transportation Committee.**

***House Bill No. 1735 -- Tennessee Wildlife Resources Agency -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Conservation and Environment Committee.**

***House Bill No. 1736 -- Pensions and Retirement Benefits -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee.**

House Bill No. 1737 -- Motor Vehicles -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Transportation Committee.

House Bill No. 1738 -- Pensions and Retirement Benefits -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee.

House Bill No. 1739 -- Motor Vehicles -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Transportation Committee.

House Bill No. 1740 -- Real Property -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Commerce Committee.

***House Bill No. 1741 -- Highways, Roads and Bridges -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.**

***House Bill No. 1742 -- Handicapped Persons -- Passed second consideration and referred to the General Welfare Committee.**

***House Bill No. 1743 -- Solid Waste Disposal -- Passed second consideration and referred to the General Welfare Committee.**

House Bill No. 1744 -- Pulaski -- Passed second consideration and held on Clerk's desk pending approval by local delegation.

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***House Bill No. 1745 -- Utilities, Utility Districts -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.**

House Bill No. 1746 -- Criminal Offenses -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

House Bill No. 1747 -- Criminal Offenses -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

***House Bill No. 1748 -- Eminent Domain -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Judiciary Committee.**

House Bill No. 1749 -- Utilities, Utility Districts -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.

***House Bill No. 1750 -- Libraries -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.**

***House Bill No. 1751 -- Hotels and Restaurants -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Conservation and Environment Committee.**

House Bill No. 1752 -- Custody and Support -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

***House Bill No. 1753 -- DUI/DWI Offenses -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Transportation Committee.**

House Bill No. 1754 -- District Attorneys -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

***House Bill No. 1756 -- District Attorneys -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Judiciary Committee.**

***House Bill No. 1758 -- Mental Retardation -- Passed second consideration and referred to the General Welfare Committee.**

***House Bill No. 1759 -- Development Districts -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.**

***House Bill No. 1760 -- Sewage -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.**

***House Bill No. 1761 -- Bond Issues -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee.**

***House Bill No. 1762 -- Equalization Board -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.**

***House Bill No. 1764 -- Bond Issues -- Passed second**

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consideration and referred to the Commerce Committee.

***House Bill No. 1766 -- Safety, Dept. of -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Transportation Committee.**

House Bill No. 1767 -- Alcoholic Beverages -- Passed second consideration and referred to the General Welfare Committee.

House Bill No. 1768 -- Courts, General Sessions -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

House Bill No. 1769 -- Judicial Districts -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

House Bill No. 1770 -- Civil Service -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.

***House Bill No. 1771 -- Solid Waste Disposal -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.**

***House Bill No. 1772 -- State Prisoners -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.**

***House Bill No. 1773 -- Courts, General Sessions -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Judiciary Committee.**

***House Bill No. 1774 -- Autopsies -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Judiciary Committee.**

***House Bill No. 1775 -- Naming and Designating -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.**

***House Bill No. 1776 -- Law Enforcement -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Transportation Committee.**

***House Bill No. 1777 -- Boards and Commissions -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Commerce Committee.**

***House Bill No. 1778 -- Motor Vehicles -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Transportation Committee.**

***House Bill No. 1779 -- Drugs -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.**

House Bill No. 1780 -- Motor Vehicles -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Transportation Committee.

***House Bill No. 1781 -- Bad Checks -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Judiciary Committee.**

House Bill No. 1782 -- Taxes, Income -- Passed second

consideration and referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee.

House Bill No. 1783 -- Smoking -- Passed second consideration and referred to the General Welfare Committee.

House Bill No. 1784 -- Solid Waste Disposal -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.

*House Bill No. 1785 -- Energy -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Transportation Committee.

House Bill No. 1786 -- General Assembly -- Passed second consideration and referred to the General Welfare Committee.

House Bill No. 1787 -- Public Contracts -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.

House Bill No. 1788 -- Election Laws -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.

House Bill No. 1789 -- Tattoo Parlors -- Passed second consideration and referred to the General Welfare Committee.

House Bill No. 1790 -- Taxes, Business -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee.

House Bill No. 1791 -- Lobbying, Lobbyists -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.

House Bill No. 1792 -- Financial Disclosure -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.

House Bill No. 1793 -- Public Contracts -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.

House Bill No. 1794 -- Fund Raising -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.

House Bill No. 1795 -- Campaigns -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.

House Bill No. 1796 -- Insurance, Health, Accident -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Commerce Committee.

House Bill No. 1797 -- Insurance, Health, Accident -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.

*House Bill No. 1798 -- Pensions and Retirement Benefits -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee.

*House Bill No. 1799 -- Sports -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee.

*House Bill No. 1800 -- Pensions and Retirement Benefits -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee.

House Bill No. 1801 -- Courts, Supreme Court of Tennessee -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

*House Bill No. 1802 -- Highway Signs -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Transportation Committee.

*House Bill No. 1803 -- Highway Signs -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Transportation Committee.

House Bill No. 1804 -- Driver Licenses -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Transportation Committee.

*House Bill No. 1805 -- Evidence -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

*House Bill No. 1806 -- Salaries and Benefits -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.

*House Bill No. 1807 -- Highway Signs -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Transportation Committee.

*House Bill No. 1808 -- Education -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Education Committee.

*House Bill No. 1809 -- Fees -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Transportation Committee.

*House Bill No. 1810 -- Insurance, Health, Accident -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Commerce Committee.

*House Bill No. 1811 -- Highway Signs -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Transportation Committee.

*House Bill No. 1812 -- Highway Signs -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Transportation Committee.

*House Bill No. 1813 -- Highway Signs -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Transportation Committee.

*House Bill No. 1814 -- Banks and Financial Institutions -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Commerce Committee.

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*House Bill No. 1815 -- Banks and Financial Institutions -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Commerce Committee.

House Bill No. 1816 -- Savings and Loan Associations -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Commerce Committee.

House Bill No. 1817 -- Savings and Loan Associations -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Commerce Committee.

House Bill No. 1818 -- Deeds -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Commerce Committee.

House Bill No. 1819 -- Campaigns -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.

House Bill No. 1820 -- Campaigns -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.

House Bill No. 1821 -- Fund Raising -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.

House Bill No. 1822 -- Financial Disclosure -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.

House Bill No. 1823 -- Telecommunications -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.

*House Bill No. 1824 -- Scholarships -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Education Committee.

House Bill No. 1825 -- Real Property -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Commerce Committee.

House Bill No. 1826 -- Deeds -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Commerce Committee.

*House Bill No. 1827 -- Election Laws -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.

House Bill No. 1828 -- Bond Issues -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.

House Bill No. 1829 -- Public Defenders -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

House Bill No. 1830 -- Claims Commission, Tennessee -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.

House Bill No. 1831 -- Attorney General and Reporter -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

*House Bill No. 1832 -- Criminal Procedure -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

House Bill No. 1833 -- Solid Waste Disposal -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.

House Bill No. 1834 -- Taxes, Business -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee.

House Bill No. 1835 -- Safety -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Commerce Committee.

House Bill No. 1836 -- Workers' Compensation -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Labor and Consumer Affairs Committee.

*House Bill No. 1837 -- Public Funds and Financing -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.

*House Bill No. 1838 -- Development Districts -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.

*House Bill No. 1839 -- Sunshine Law -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.

*House Bill No. 1840 -- Bond Issues -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee.

*House Bill No. 1841 -- Public Officials -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.

House Bill No. 1842 -- Professions and Occupations -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Commerce Committee.

*House Bill No. 1843 -- Solid Waste Disposal -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.

*House Bill No. 1844 -- Taxes, Privilege -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.

*House Bill No. 1845 -- County Government -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.

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*House Bill No. 1846 -- Taxes, Privilege -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.

*House Bill No. 1847 -- State Symbols -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.

House Bill No. 1848 -- Scholarships -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Education Committee.

House Bill No. 1849 -- Boards and Commissions -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.

House Bill No. 1850 -- Real Estate Agents and Brokers -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Commerce Committee.

House Bill No. 1851 -- Codes -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Commerce Committee.

House Bill No. 1852 -- Insurance, Health, Accident -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Commerce Committee.

House Bill No. 1853 -- Firearms and Ammunition -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

House Bill No. 1854 -- Firearms and Ammunition -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

House Bill No. 1855 -- Annexation -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.

*House Bill No. 1856 -- Public Records -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.

*House Bill No. 1857 -- Day Care -- Passed second consideration and referred to the General Welfare Committee.

House Bill No. 1858 -- Judicial Districts -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

House Bill No. 1859 -- Cemeteries -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.

House Bill No. 1860 -- Pensions and Retirement Benefits -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee.

House Bill No. 1861 -- County Government -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.

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House Bill No. 1862 -- Motor Vehicles -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Transportation Committee.

House Bill No. 1863 -- Mental Retardation -- Passed second consideration and referred to the General Welfare Committee.

House Bill No. 1864 -- Tennessee Housing Development Agency -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.

House Bill No. 1865 -- Railroads -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Transportation Committee.

House Bill No. 1866 -- Election Laws -- Passed second consideration and referred to the State and Local Government Committee.

House Bill No. 1867 -- Courts, General Sessions -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

House Bill No. 1868 -- Sentencing -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

House Bill No. 1869 -- Sunset Laws -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Government Operations Committee.

House Bill No. 1870 -- Tennessee Wildlife Resources Agency -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Conservation and Environment Committee.

House Bill No. 1871 -- Firearms and Ammunition -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

House Bill No. 1872 -- Criminal Offenses -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

House Bill No. 1873 -- Criminal Offenses -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

House Bill No. 1874 -- Juvenile Offenders -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

House Bill No. 1875 -- Gambling -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

House Bill No. 1876 -- Crime, Victims of -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

House Bill No. 1877 -- Criminal Offenses -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

House Bill No. 1878 -- Criminal Procedure -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

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House Bill No. 1879 -- Criminal Offenses -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

House Bill No. 1880 -- Human Rights -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

House Bill No. 1881 -- Bad Checks -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

House Bill No. 1882 -- Sentencing -- Passed second consideration and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

SPONSORS REMOVED

On motion, Rep. Rhinehart was removed as sponsor of House Bill No. 1580.

On motion, Rep. Moore (Shelby) was removed as sponsor of House Bill No. 1636.

LOCAL BILLS TRANSMITTED TO CALENDAR AND RULES

January 24, 1990

In accordance with Rule No. 48, the following local bill(s), having received authorization for passage by the local legislative delegation, was/were transmitted to the Calendar and Rules Committee: House Bill(s) No(s). 1551 and 1744.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CALENDAR AND RULES

CONSENT CALENDAR

January 24, 1990

MR. SPEAKER: The officers of your Calendar and Rules Committee beg leave to report that we have set the following bill(s) and/or resolution(s) on the Consent Calendar for Thursday, January 25, 1990: House Joint Resolution(s) No(s). 543, 546, 547 and 548; House Bill(s) No(s). 1551 and 1744; also, Senate Joint Resolution(s) No(s). 393, 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 412, 418, 419, 420 and 424.

PHILLIPS, Chairman.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

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MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, Senate Joint Resolution(s) No(s). 426; for the signature of the Speaker.

CLYDE W. McCULLOUGH, JR.,
Chief Clerk.

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MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

January 24, 1990

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the House, House Bill(s) No(s). 1552; also, House Joint Resolution(s) No(s). 508, 509, 512, 513, 520, 524 and 545; signed by the Speaker.

CLYDE W. McCULLOUGH, JR.,
Chief Clerk.

SIGNED

January 24, 1990

The Speaker announced that he had signed the following: Senate Joint Resolution(s) No(s). 426.

ENGROSSED BILLS

January 24, 1990

MR. SPEAKER: Your Chief Engrossing Clerk begs leave to report that we have carefully examined House Bill(s) No(s). 1642; also, House Joint Resolution(s) No(s). 534 and 539; and find same correctly engrossed and ready for transmission to the Senate.

BETTY KAY FRANCIS,
Chief Engrossing Clerk.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

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MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, Senate Joint Resolution(s) No(s). 417; adopted for concurrence.

CLYDE W. McCULLOUGH, JR.,
Chief Clerk.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0417 -- Memorials, Recognition and Thanks -- Honors Lucius Burch.

REPORT OF CHIEF ENGROSSING CLERK

January 24, 1990

MR. SPEAKER: Your Chief Engrossing Clerk begs leave to report that we have transmitted to the Governor the following: House Bill(s) No(s). 1552; also, House Joint Resolution(s) No(s). 508, 509, 512, 513, 520, 524 and 545 for his action.

BETTY KAY FRANCIS,
Chief Engrossing Clerk.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR

January 24, 1990

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed by the Governor to return herewith: House Bill(s) No(s) 1552; also, House Joint Resolution(s) No(s) 508, 509, 512, 513, 520, 524 and 545; with his approval.

DAVID H. WELLS,
Counsel to the Governor

ROLL CALL

The roll call was taken with the following results:

Present 96

Representatives present were: Anderson, Armstrong, Austin, Bell, Bittle, Bivens, Bragg, Buck, Burchfield, Burnett, Byrd, Cain, Callcott, Chiles, Clark, Coffey, Cole, Collier, Crain, Cross, Curlee, Davidson, Davis (Cooke), Davis (Gibson), Davis (Knox), DeBerry, DePriest, Dixon, Duer, Gaia, Garrett, Givens, Good, Gunnels, Halteman, Harrell, Hassell, Haun, Head, Henry (Putnam), Henry (Roane), Herron, Hillis, Hobbs, Holcomb, Holt, Hubbard, Huskey, Jackson, Jones, R. (Shelby), Jones, U. (Shelby), Kent, Kernell, King, Kisber, Love, McAfee, McDaniel, Moody, Moore (Lawrence), Moore (Shelby), Naifeh, Napier, Niceley, Nuber, Odom, Peroulas, Phillips, Pinion, Pruitt, Purcell, Rhinehart, Ridgeway, Robinson (Davidson), Robinson (Hamilton), Robinson (Washington), Scruggs, Severance, Shirley, Sipes, Stallings, Stamps, Turner (Hamilton), Turner, C. (Shelby), Turner, L. (Shelby), Ussery, West, Wheeler, Whitson, Williams, Winningham, Wix, Wolfe, Wood, Yelton, Mr. Speaker Murray -- 96.

RECESS MOTION

Representative Naifeh moved that, pursuant to House Joint Resolution No. 518, the House recess to meet with the Senate in Joint Convention for the purpose of hearing the State of the State Address of the Governor; and further moved that, pursuant to House Joint Resolution No. 518, at the conclusion of the Joint Convention, the House adjourn until 9:00 a.m., Thursday, January 25, 1990.

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IN JOINT CONVENTION

GOVERNOR'S STATE OF THE STATE ADDRESS

The hour having arrived, set by House Joint Resolution No. 518, the Senate met with the House in Joint Convention.

The Joint Convention was called to order by Mr. Speaker Wilder, President of the Joint Convention.

On motion of Senator Darnell, the roll call of the Senate was dispensed with.

On motion of Representative Naifeh, the roll call of the House was dispensed with.

Thereupon, the Clerk of the Senate read House Joint Resolution No. 518 authorizing the Joint Convention.

On motion, Representative Naifeh moved that the President appoint a Committee composed of six (6) members from the Senate and six (6) members from the House to notify the Governor that the Joint Convention is in session and awaiting his arrival, which motion prevailed.

Mr. President Wilder appointed a Select Committee composed of Senators Arnold, Atchley, Crutchfield, Darnell, O'Brien and Rochelle and Representatives Dixon, Duer, Givens, Haun, Nicely and Pruitt. Senator Darnell was appointed to serve as Chairman of this Committee.

Without objection, the Joint Convention recessed pending the arrival of the Governor.

The Joint Convention was called to order by President Wilder.

Without objection, the roll calls of the Senate and House were dispensed with.

Senator Darnell announced the Governor of the State of Tennessee at the entrance to the House.

President Wilder asked the committee to escort the Governor to please come forward.

President Wilder introduced the Honorable Ned McWherter, Governor of the State of Tennessee.

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402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 412, 418, 419, 420, 424, 433 and 436; adopted for concurrence.

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Chief Clerk.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0393 -- Memorials, Condolence --
Honors memory of W. R. Rochelle.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0395 -- Memorials, Condolence --
Honors memory of Julian Ceasar Benson.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0396 -- Memorials, Public Service --
Honors Herman Morris, Jr.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0397 -- Memorials, Condolence --
Honors memory of Walter Henry Lucas.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0398 -- Memorials, Public Service --
Honors Kenneth O. Cole.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0399 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement --
Recognizes Dinah Shore for her many contributions to her country.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0400 -- Memorials, Public Service --
Recognizes James H. McKenzie of Tullahoma.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0401 -- Memorials, Personal Achievement --
Honors Mayor John P. Gaul, Outstanding Citizen of Franklin County for 1989.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0402 -- Memorials, Retirement --
Honors Ruth Porter Binkley on retirement from UTSI.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0403 -- Memorials, Sports --
Commends Rick Dempsey for achievements in professional baseball.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0404 -- Memorials, Congratulations --
Congratulates Carrier Corporation - McMinnville on twentieth anniversary of operation in state.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0405 -- Memorials, Recognition and Thanks --
Commends students and staff of Motlow State for aiding Tullahoma officials.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0406 -- Naming and Designating --
Designates second full week in September as "Clifford McClain Week" in Warren County.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 0407 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement --
Congratulates Mary Purcell on election as president of International Federation of University Women.

They will note that capital investment for new jobs continued to break records. In the decade's last 36 months, state government helped locate 15,000 new jobs in 36 of Tennessee's 40 poorest counties. The unemployment rate, which in 1980 stood at 8.3 percent, had been cut in half ten years later.

For those of you whose vision contributed to this economic success, I urge you to take pride in the legacy you have left.

When our children turn to the chapter on health care, they will find a decade during which more Tennesseans received quality health care than at any time in history. State spending on health care for the poor increased four-fold.

By extending health care to pregnant women and their children, and by establishing five peri-natal centers for high risk babies, we lowered the mortality rate by more than 20 percent for our youngest citizens.

For our elderly, we increased spending 126 percent for long term care, and enacted tough nursing home laws to help make sure our parents were treated with dignity.

The pages of the 1979 House and Senate Journals reflect that the General Assembly appropriated \$400 million for road construction. The 1989 Journals will show that Tennessee undertook the largest road building program in its history, with more than a billion dollars in construction to strengthen our economic base in all 95 counties.

When they ask about our priorities, tell your children that we worked hard to make affordable housing available to more of the young Tennessee couples trying to buy their first home. In fact, tell them that in the sixteen year history of the low interest housing program, one-third of the new homes were financed in the last sixteen months of the decade.

History will teach our children that the 1980s was a decade when our government sought to accommodate order with justice. We undertook construction of six new prisons to house those who threatened the public safety. But we also built a humane prison system, and revised our sentencing laws for the first time in 100 years to make sure those accused were treated equally throughout Tennessee.

It is likely that the 1980s will be remembered as a crossroads for Tennessee's commitment to our environment. In hundreds of communities, citizens awakened to the fact that we must take seriously the risk to our air, water and natural resources.

State government responded by developing programs to reduce the amount of hazardous waste and dispose of it more safely. We began the process of changing a 200 year pattern of simply throwing away all of our garbage.

And it will be recalled in East Tennessee that it was in the 1980s when state government slammed the door on out-of-state industries which cared more about profits than the health of Tennesseans who live along our rivers.

The decade saw us make enormous strides in health care, corrections, roads, the environment and economic development. There is a final area in which, despite substantial progress, the task remains unfinished.

Many of the new industries which came to Tennessee did so because of a confidence in our education system to produce trained workers. But while we can take pride in our economic success, we must not make the mistake of believing that an education system which prepared students for the 1980s will be adequate for the 21st century.

I am encouraged by the fact that the 1980s saw a 41 percent increase in the number of students taking algebra and science, a 96 percent increase for advanced math, a 143 percent increase for foreign languages, and a 158 percent increase for world history.

College entrance scores climbed over the decade. Our establishment of Centers of Excellence and Chairs of Excellence made some of our campus programs among the nation's best.

In both K-12 and higher education, there is a definite momentum heading in the right direction. My challenge to this body is to be wise enough and brave enough to respond to the enormous changes taking place in the international economy.

Every new industry is more automated than the last. The computer skills and thinking skills needed by tomorrow's workers will be far beyond what we now demand of our high school graduates.

Forty years ago our schools adapted when our economy shifted from agriculture to manufacturing. We must now once again be prepared to adapt our schools to the demands of a future economy in which the employee must work more with his brain and less with his back.

We must make sure that every school system can provide textbooks, computers and teachers who make a competitive salary. We must give local superintendents and school boards the flexibility they need to run their schools. In return, they must be held accountable for the choices they make and the quality of education they produce.

At one level, the idea is simple. In practical terms, it may be one of the most difficult issues you will face as a legislator. The issue of quality education will dominate the next decade, and the promise of real education reform is the reason I will ask the citizens of Tennessee for a second term as your governor.

Ten years ago the commitment made to Tennessee's potential produced more than most of us would have dreamed. At the dawn of a new decade, it would be appropriate today that we renew that commitment.

To an education system that offers each child a fighting chance for a better life.

To a health care system that provides reasonable and affordable care.

To an environment in which our air and water are clean and our waste is responsibly managed.

And to an economy that offers every young Tennessee man and woman the opportunity to broaden life's horizons.

I had hoped that today we would write the final chapter on the 1980s. However, when we adjourn the last chapter remains unwritten. The only blemish upon the decade just closed, and the only threat to the momentum we have established, is the cloud of doubt that hangs over portions of state government.

I have heard the rumors about those who may have sought to compromise this body.

I have seen the uneasiness among the public about questions that are not yet answered.

I have grieved with many of you for friends whose lives were destroyed by a lost sense of purpose.

But let there be no mistake about the Governor's position.

We have a criminal justice system that will separate the guilty from the falsely accused.

But this is a sacred building. If you accept the privilege of public service, you had better understand the responsibilities of public service.

This means that if you work for me, and you violate that trust, you'll be fired.

And it means if you are Democrat or Republican, there will never be justification for that trust to be laid aside for personal or financial gain.

We began the 1980s with another scandal that threatened the credibility of this institution. What we called "bidrigging" had cheated the taxpayers out of millions of dollars, had led to the indictment of dozens of persons, and had called into question the integrity of the State's road building program.

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In 1981, this Legislature responded to that threat. We extended to the State Attorney General the authority to go after and prosecute the bidriggers. By granting this authority, we helped restore public confidence in our Department of Transportation.

I participated in that decision as Speaker of the House. As Governor, I would like to request that the Legislature examine once again whether it is appropriate to extend the authority of the State Attorney General.

Should the Attorney General have authority to prosecute those guilty of public corruption?

Should the Attorney General have broader authority to convene a Grand Jury to seek out corruption?

And if we do either of these things, should we change the selection process for the Attorney General?

These questions are worthy of our consideration, and I respectfully urge that together we examine them carefully.

I close by personally thanking this Legislature for the outstanding job you have done for the citizens of this state. A century from today when generations not yet born read about the 1990s, I hope that they will find a single sentence.

"That Tennessee was a society built on faith, honor and trust, and that it blossomed because its people had a common belief in something beyond themselves."

Thank you.

Mr. President Wilder relinquished the Chair to Mr. Speaker Murray, as President of the Joint Convention.

The purpose for which the Joint Convention was called having been accomplished, Mr. President Murray declared the Joint Convention dissolved.